IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	
Rodolfo NOTO et al.	Group Art Unit: 1747
Application No.: 10/549,448	Examiner: Geoffrey L. Knable
Filed: June 27, 2006	Confirmation No.: 5514
For: TYRE FOR VEHICLE WHEELS AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING	
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	
Sir:	

AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed February 16, 2011, the period for response having been extended to June 16, 2011, by a Petition requesting a one month extension of time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the application as follows:

Please amend the claims as indicated in the **Amendments to the Claims** section, which begins on page 2 of this Amendment ("Response").

Remarks begin on page 11 of this Response.